## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of:       | )                            |
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| MINEVINAVAOETAI             | : Examiner: Luis F. Santiago |
| MUNEKI NAKAO ET AL.         | ) : Group Art Unit: 3624     |
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## **Mail Stop Amendment**

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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 12, 2011, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.